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In re Patent Application of: Yoshiki Nakagawa, et al.

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Examiner: T. Zalukaeva

For: POLYMER AND CURABLE COMPOSITION

COMMUNICATION

Commissioner for Patents Washington, DC 20231

Dear Sir:

It is requested that the rejections of claims over U.S. Patent 5,242,983 to Kennedy, et al. and U.S. Patent 5,604,268 to Randen, et al., U.S. Patent 5,807,937 to Matyjaszewski, et al. and U.S. Patent 5,381,735 to Fifield be further clarified. As discussed during a recent telephone conference with the Examiner, this request is being made since our prior response amended claim 1 to include recitations from claim 7 which was not subject to these rejections.

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